



**Wednesday**

**October 31**

**6:00 - 8:00 pm**

Fall Fest is a fun **CHRISTIAN** **ALTERNATIVE** to "Trick or Treating". **This event is designed for children through 5th grade.** We are looking for volunteers to help make it a great event.

If you don't have kids in this age group, **WE NEED YOUR HELP** so parents with small children can supervise their kids. (Teens are great helpers!) We will need around 90 people to fill all positions, as well as **lots** of baked goods for the Cake Walk.

Please sign up below and drop in the offering or sign up at the Connection Center by Wednesday, October 24. If you have questions, please contact Kelly Trusty, 243-0261 or [kellytrusty@frontier.com](mailto:kellytrusty@frontier.com).

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE/EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

I AM WILLING TO WORK AT

Game Booth    ☐ 6-7 pm    ☐ 7-8 pm    ☐ Both

Ticket Table    ☐ 5:30-7:00 pm

Popcorn    ☐ 6-7 pm    ☐ 7-8 pm    ☐ Both

Set-up    ☐ Tues., 10/30, 3:30-6 pm    ☐ Wed., 10/31 2-5:30 pm

Clean-up    ☐ Wednesday 8-9:30 pm

Baked Goods    ☐ I will bring baked goods (homemade or store bought) for the Cake Walk game. Can be dropped off at the Connection Center Tuesday or Wednesday.

### **Future Message Series**

**Starting next Sunday** - 8 weeks in the Lord's Prayer

**December 16 and 23** - Christmas

**December 30** - New Year's

Still seeking God's wisdom on the series for January.

A new small group is forming for blended families. Watch for details next week.

**The Isaiah 9:10 Judgment DVD's** will be shown in room S103/104, Today and next Sunday, 9:00 and 10:30 am. Sunday, October 14, DVD 1 will be shown in both hours and Sunday, October 21, DVD 2 will be shown in both hours. These movies are about 9/11 and our nation's response to rebuilding the towers and how God has been with us and is calling us to serious prayer.

# Welcome

# Fairview Missionary Church

### ***A special welcome to our first time guests.***

We invite you to go to the Guest Reception Center in the foyer to receive a special gift. Pastor Norm welcomes your response to your experience at FMC today.

Contact him by e-mail: [norm@fairview-missionary.org](mailto:norm@fairview-missionary.org),  
land mail: 525 E 200 N, Angola, IN, 46703,  
or by phone: 665-8402.

## This Week at a Glance...

### Today, October 14

- 9 & 10:30 am **Worship Services**  
 9 & 10:30 am **Adult Small Churches** - A list of adult Small Churches and their locations is available at the connection center.  
 9 & 10:30 am **Children's Sunday school**  
 9:00 am **Teen Sunday school**  
 11:45 am **New Attenders Reception.** Come meet the FMC staff and have your questions about FMC answered. *In the gym*  
 7:00 pm **The Hill Ministry - Young Adults** Jake Shippe speaking - doing a study of the book of Colossians. Location: Bridge Park on Harcourt Road, behind Buffalo Wild Wings. Doors open at 6:30 pm.

### Monday, October 15

- 6:00-6:30 pm **WOW (Women of Worth)**  
**Pink Rain! Pink Rain! Pink Rain!**  
 A Cameron Hospital representative is doing free blood pressure screenings, etc. Followed by...  
 6:30-8:00 pm Program - lots of give-aways, inspiring testimonies, etc. Sign up today at the connection center. *In the gym*

### Tuesday, October 16

- 6:15 am **Prayer Time** in the sanctuary  
 9 am-noon **Ladies Scrabble Club** room S101  
 Call Vicki Sharp: 665-2013  
 6:30-7:30 pm **Ladies Intercessory Prayer Group**  
*In the prayer room.*

### Wednesday, October 17

- 5:30-6:30 pm **Fairview Grill** - in the gym  
 6:45-8:00 pm **Nursery through adult classes.**  
*A list of classes available is at the connection center.*  
 7:00 pm **The Hill** - Young Adults Bible Study at Bridge Park on Harcourt Road, behind Buffalo Wild Wings  
 8:15 pm **Worship Service Rehearsal**

### Thursday, October 18

- 5:30 am **Men's Bible Study**, room S105

### Friday, October 19

- 6:00 am **Men's Bible Study**, Fireside room

### Friday - Sunday, October 19 - 21

**Marriage Retreat at Gull Lake, Michigan**

## Children

### Children's Ministries -

**Nursery through 5th grade**

**Sundays 9:00 and 10:30 am**

**Where do my kids go on  
Sundays and Wednesdays?**

**Nursery & Toddler** - Hallway to the gym, across from the mailboxes

**Preschool** - Children's Ministry hallway

**K-3rd grade** - Kids worship room

**4th & 5th grade** - Room 120  
 (upper level of children's hallway)

Jessica Bonner, Director  
 419-889-7900



**6th - 8th  
Grades**



**Sunday School 9:00 am**

*In teen rooms above the gym.*

**Wednesdays 6:45-8:00 pm**

*In teen rooms above the sanctuary.*

Mark Compton, Leader



**9th - 12th Grades**

**Sunday School 9:00 am**

**Wednesdays 6:45-8:00 pm** \* Game room opens 6 pm

*In teen rooms above the sanctuary.*

Joel and Carolyn Greenwood

260-668-6734

**Events below are for both Fusion  
and The Edge!**

### Rake 'n' Run

- Wednesday, October 24
- 6:30-8:00 p.m.
- Wear warm clothes
- Bring rakes and flashlights

### Let's Get Together!

- Step 1: Pick a week night  
 Step 2: Decide what you want to eat  
 Step 3: Call some friends  
 Step 4: See if Joel can make it

### Fantasy Football Standings

1. Hunter Kohart
2. Grant
3. Allen Miller
4. Josiah Mortorff
5. Joel Greenwood

Check web site for updates: [www.fairview-missionary.org](http://www.fairview-missionary.org)

## Voter Information Available in the foyer

2012 **Issues Guide** For  
Christian Voters

### Voters Guides

How each of the candidates  
answered certain questions

### Sample Ballots

One of the confusing things about any election is the ballot. Most of us have not seen the ballot before we go to the polls on election day and frankly do not know all, who, or what we are voting on until we read it that day. There are sample ballots for the November 6th Steuben County election in the foyer. The ballots are clearly marked so be sure you pick up the right one for your precinct. Local issues are on the ballot and each precinct's ballot is just a little different.



**"In honor  
of those  
who have  
served..."**

## Fairview Military Banquet For veterans, families and friends

**Friday, November 9**

6:30-8 pm in the FMC gym  
 \$5.00 per person. Please sign up  
 at the Connection Center.



## Community Gift and Craft Show at Fairview

**Saturday, November 3**  
 8:00 am - 3:00 pm



Women of Worth

*"Lead a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called."*

## Pink Rain! Pink Rain! Pink Rain!

**Monday  
October 15**

- Focus on Women's Health Event
- 6-6:30 pm - a representative from Cameron Hospital is doing free blood pressure screenings, etc.
- 6:30 pm - Program
- Lots of Give-Aways such as massage, hair care, manicure, etc. plus goodies for everyone!
- Inspiring testimonies!
- Childcare available
- Today is the last day to sign up at the connection center.

### Step into Monday morning

**Ministry** by cleaning up the food and drink fellowship areas of the church. Our Sunday fellowship time can create a mess of donut dust and coffee residue in many areas of the church. It can take up to two hours to clean off tables and counter tops, wash coffee pots and set up the areas for the next fellowship time. Come for the whole morning or any amount of time you are available. Contact Mark, 665-8402.

Make new friends while enjoying coffee, orange juice, and donuts **in the foyer** before and/or after each service.

Be sure to see Daniel at the coffee nook by the gym for Pumpkin Spice cappuccino and other drinks.

## Baptism

Sunday, November 11  
Pick up a form in the literature rack for more information.

Want to be on the "Norm's Notes" email list? Go to [www.fairview-missionary.org](http://www.fairview-missionary.org) to subscribe.

## Thank you for your giving...

Here is an example of how your giving helps in practical ways. Turning Point Homeless Shelter called this week about a man staying at the shelter. He had just gotten a job at a local fast food restaurant but needed black shoes and black pants for his uniform requirements before he could start work. After checking every second hand shop in the area, and finding nothing in his size, they called FMC. We took him to Wal-Mart and got what he needed so he could start work the next day. Thank you for your giving. Your giving helps people take steps toward Jesus and steps out of poverty.

## Why do we have donuts, coffee and juice in the foyer?

**Answer:** The church should always be looking for things in common with those who are not believers yet. Anything that can be a bridge between a believer and non-believer should be used as an opportunity to share the love of Jesus Christ. The world drinks a lot of coffee and eats a lot of donuts. So do those in the church; let's bring the two together and leave room for God to work!

*"...I have become all things to all people so that by all possible means I might save some." 1 Corinthians 9:22b*



In an effort to minimize distractions during the worship service - if you find it necessary to leave the sanctuary during the service, the ushers are instructed to intercept you upon your return and ask you to sit in the back of the sanctuary. Thank you for your understanding in this matter.

## The new van/utility truck project

is back on the top of the needs lists. Total cost \$35,000 - Project Help has agreed to pay half of it because they use it almost as much as we do.



The old van has only gotten worse since we started this project in the spring of 2012. The tires are bald, the rust is bigger, the muffler system is louder. Those who use it are praying harder that it makes it back home! Above is a picture of something similar to what we pray to purchase. Presently we have \$7,205 toward our half of the purchase price.

## Attention Young Moms!

Thursday, November 8, 9:30 am

Location: at The Hill

We are starting a Mom's Group!

Come and bring your kiddos.

The kids will play and the moms will visit! We'll discuss whether this time is good or not and what we want this group to look like.

Contact Amber Shipe, 574-315-7671, with questions. Hope to see you and your kids there!

Kindergarten - 5th grade

Thursday, October 25

## Dinner for 5

At 5:00 pm!

At Miss Jessica's place

Open to first 5 to contact

Miss Jessica, 665-8402.



## Sunday, November 4

Either service. Pick up information from the literature rack and return the form by Thursday, November 1.

## Preschool Christmas Musical

- A segment of the Sunday, December 16th service.
- For ages 3 - 5
- Practices take place Sundays during 2nd service
- Last classroom on the right in the children's wing
- "Don't Be Scared" is the name of the program
- If your child will not be in the program, he/she may go to their regular class in the last classroom on the left.



## 2012 Kid's Christmas Musical

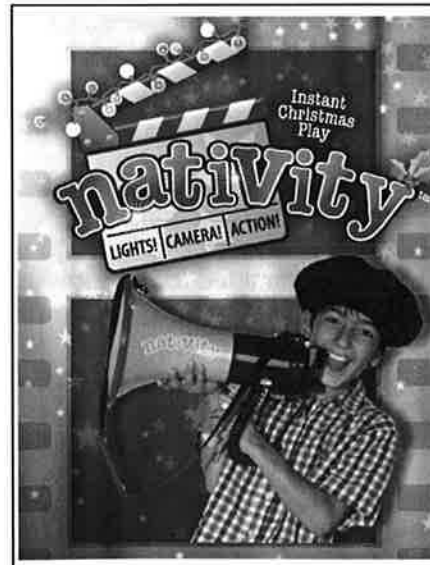
**Instant Christmas Play  
Nativity**

**Lights! Camera! Action!**

**Saturday, December 15**

**12:30 - 4:30 pm with the  
production at 2:00 pm**

Kids ages K-5 along with their entire family can join in (Kids whose families can't join us are still welcome.) This year there will not be weeks and weeks of rehearsals! In one afternoon, on Saturday, December 15 families will create sets and costumes, rehearse, and present a full Christmas production. Pick up more information and a registration form at the connection center or Miss Jessica's office.





### Operation Christmas Child

For the past 9 years FMC has collected shoeboxes filled with gifts that are distributed to children in desperate situations worldwide. There are brochures at the Connection



Center. If you would rather not fill a box yourself and would like to make a donation, the money will be used to fill boxes and cover the shipping - just mark your offering envelope "shoeboxes". The suggested donation is \$30 per box. As soon as you have a shoebox filled - you may drop it off at the connection center - the **deadline is Sunday, November 4** to have **700 shoeboxes** ready to go! If you have extra shoeboxes stashed at home and would like to donate them for this use, please drop them off at the Connection Center. The plastic ones (shoebox sized) with lids work very well also.



### An Opportunity to Fight World Poverty and Spread the Gospel

FMC likes to do its small part to fight world poverty and present the gospel while doing so. We have been asked to partner with Solar Clutch of Fort Wayne and Disciple Makers from Somalia who are working in an underground church in the horn of Africa. The Disciple Makers are converts from Islam in a refugee camp of 1,500 people.

Solar Clutch makes solar cookers - the cookers are made in Fort Wayne and used around the world with outreach projects. Fellowship Missionary Church in Fort Wayne partners with this group. It is all run by World Partners missionaries. World Partners is the overseas missions arm of the Missionary Church. The goal is \$6,000 or any part of it we can provide. This week, October 14, we will have a special opportunity to partner with Solar Clutch.

### Update from The Next Step Fund Committee

Greetings congregation. Over the last few weeks the Next Step Fund committee has participated in a couple of presentations from ministry organizations that administer the type of loans we are trying to make available to third world folks trying to get out of poverty. We recently committed to funding several projects through the CMF Big Dent program as well as through Open Doors. These organizations fund projects in places like Nairobi, Kenya, and other similar locations. We are awaiting specifics around these projects and are excited about this ministry opportunity. As we get information and updates on how these projects are progressing, we will get you specifics. Please keep these recipients and their families in your prayers. The committee also requests your prayers as we try to make decisions around the funds you have made available. We want to do the right thing and honor God in our decisions.



## BMP News

Bethlehem Marketplace (BMP)  
is only 7 weeks away!  
Sign up begins next Sunday.

2012 marks our 23rd year. There is a booklet in the literature rack that explains this Bridge Event ministry and why we do it.

1. December 1 and 2, 2012, 1:00 to 5:00 pm each day.
2. Be in prayer for your participation. Be in prayer for the 3,000+ that God will bring to experience what the streets of Bethlehem the day after Christ was born, must have been like.
3. Publicity is available at the bulletin table in the foyer. Take all you can use. Publicity is produced right here in the office and we can run more anytime.
4. If you or anyone you know is getting carpet in the next 2 months we would welcome your old carpet. The streets of BMP are covered with sand over the carpet.
5. This year there will be an emphasis on the ministry of FMC during the music and at the end of the streets. Approximately 3,000+ people come through the streets each year and 75% are first-timers. The prayer and goal is to help them become first time and regular attenders on Sunday mornings too.
6. If you are looking for a ministry opportunity - we are seeking a carpenter to make a new well out of Styrofoam and plywood. Contact Pastor Norm.
7. We are seeking people whose first contact with FMC was BMP (not the same people as last year). We would like to use you in a promotional video. Contact the office, 665-8402.

## Area Churches 40 come together for Days of Prayer leading to the election September 28 - November 6, 2012

### Schedule of prayer gatherings

Monday	Angola Assembly of God	6:30 a.m.
Tuesday	Fairview Missionary Church	6:30 a.m.
Wednesday	Sonlight Community Church	6:30 a.m.
Thursday	Pleasant View Church of Christ	6:30 a.m.
Friday	Peace Lutheran Church	6:30 a.m.
Saturday	Angola United Methodist Church	7:30 a.m.

You are welcome to attend any and all of these prayer opportunities. Come and go as you need to, the prayer gatherings are "open house" and free style prayer.

# Sermon Notes

by Pastor Norm Fuller ♦ October 14, 2012

## A Prayer For Our Nation The Road to National Revival

1. We must reconnect with God.
2. We must rejoice in His grace.
3. We must request help for our leaders.
4. We must repent of self-centeredness.
5. We must revere Jesus' name.

### Some of the Scriptures used to form this message:

1 Timothy 2:1-4  
Galatians 5:19-21  
1 Peter 2:17  
Jeremiah 29:7

Acts 4:12  
Philippians 2:9-11  
1 Samuel 12:23  
Ephesians 4:15

John 14:14  
Philippians 4:19  
Luke 6:26



Solar Cookers are a practical way you can help the people in North Somalia. *Many women and girls* have to forage for firewood outside the refugee camps. Wood is scarce in the desert and often there is not enough food to eat or water to drink.

## Somali Solar Cookers

### Why are Solar Cookers Needed?

1. Half the world's population of 6 billion cooks over wood fires.
2. The United Nations estimates that 2 billion now suffer from *fuel wood shortage*.
3. Solar cooking offers an alternative to *deforestation* of valuable trees.
4. Women and children must spend increasingly more time finding wood thus keeping them from *equal opportunity* in their societies.
5. Some urban families spend *30-50% of their income on cooking fuel* or must barter away food for fuel.
6. World Health Organization estimates *80% of all illnesses* are spread through contaminated water. Solar cookers are also used to pasteurize water and milk.
7. Burning traditional fuels such as wood and gas *pollutes the air* and contributes to global warming. Solar cookers provide a pollution-free alternative.
8. In underdeveloped areas many *respiratory illnesses* are caused by smoke from cooking fires.

### We are partnering with a Somali refugee camp in Somali Land.

**There are 1500 families that have fled from the fighting in other parts of Somalia. Food is being supplied on a small scale by aid workers. The women have had exposure to solar cookers and are now asking to have their own. Would you like to be a part of this effort to give each woman a solar cooker?**

Make contributions payable to:  
World Partners (a 501c3 non profit)  
Memo: Somali Solar Cookers  
Send to PO Box 9127  
Fort Wayne IN 46899

[www.solarclutch.com](http://www.solarclutch.com) for more information  
[Solarclutch@gmail.com](mailto:Solarclutch@gmail.com) 260-418-6699

\$30.00 will provide one solar cooker, to a family in a refugee camp. Our partners there will train them and follow up this effort. Will you help make this possible for a family in Somali Land?